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## REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF DRAWING CORRECTIONS PURSUANT TO 37 CFR §1.123

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Sir:

The Examiner is requested to review and approve the proposed corrections to Figure 1, marked in red on the attached copy of Figure 1. These proposed changes to Figure 1 are made in response to the Examiner's objections as set forth in paragraphs 2 and 3 of the Office Action dated July 1, 1996. No new matter is added by the drawing changes.

Upon approval by the Examiner, Applicant will submit formal drawings which include these changes.

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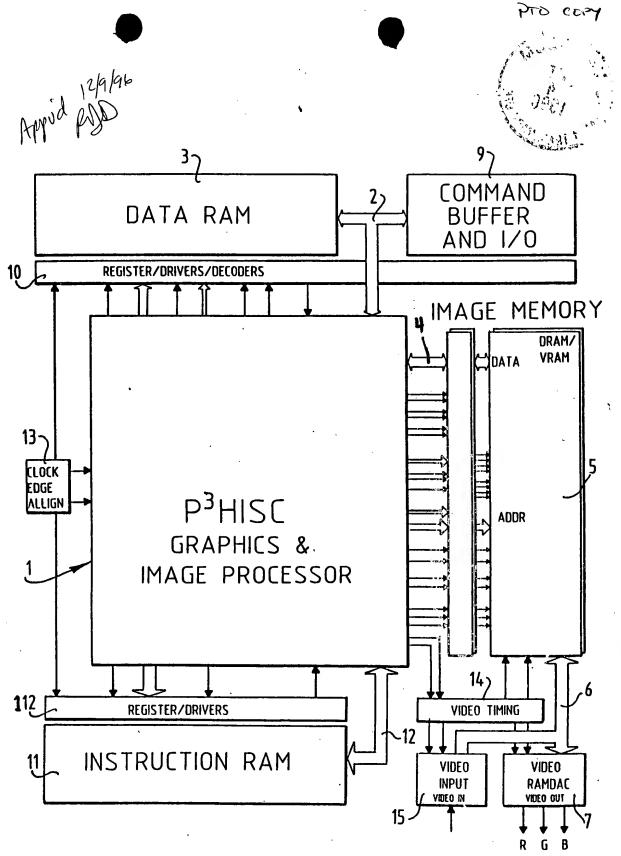


FIG.1